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Papers Filed Herewith:

1. Title Page; Specification (42 pp.), 10 Claims, Abstract;
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
3. Check #5693 for \$974.00 (Filing Fee);
4. 12 sheets soft formal drawings (Figs. 1-19);
5. Preliminary Amendment;
6. List of Inventors' Names and Addresses;
7. PTO-1390 Transmittal; and
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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed, as identified in connection with the above-identified patent application.

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International Filing Date

March 1, 2000

Priority Date Claimed

Title of Invention H. NEMOTO et al (see attached)

Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US METHOD AND DEVICE FOR INFORMATION RECORDING/REPRODUCING
AND INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☒ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
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 - b. ☒ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
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8. ☐ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
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14. ☐ A substitute specification.
15. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
16. ☒ Other items or information:

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(37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.


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